Woodward, William Elliot

[Roxbury, Boston, MA]

[If you issue any catalogues,
please send them to me, +
I will reciprocate the favor.
I intend to sell in New York in
October the finest collection
of American medals ever offered
at auction.]

Messrs H. & F. Chapman,

Gentlemen,

If you issue new catalogues, please send them to me. I will reciprocate the favor.

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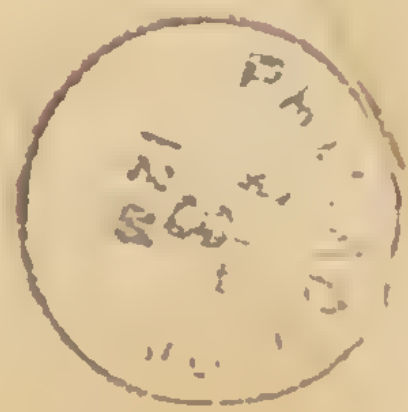
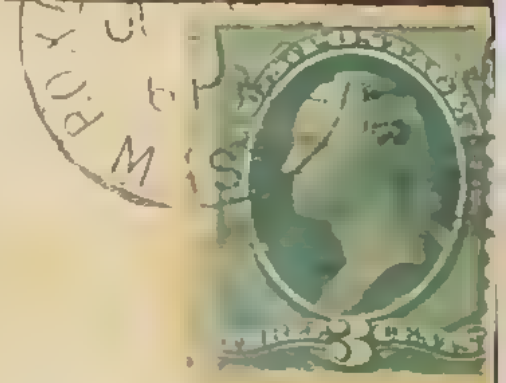
Yours truly,

[illegible]





Woodward, William Elliott

[Will you do me the favor to mark on the back of the enclosed card the prices brought by the respective numbers in Mr. Haseltine's sale of September 19, 20, and 21, 1876.]

[I have written to Haseltine at intervals for several months, but find it utterly impossible to get a response to any business communication...]

PHILA
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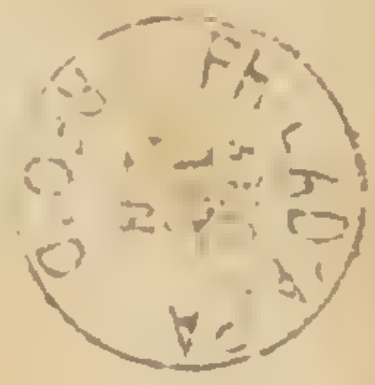
Woodward, William Elliot

[I will place the name of your firm
on my catalogue as requested, but
it will be utterly impossible to
furnish the catalogue as desired...]



Woodward, William Elliot

[An advertisement for the printed catalog of Woodward's "Holland Collection of American Medals," a sale which commenced on November 11, 878.]

MT. PLEASANT,

Roxbury, Mass., Oct. 12, 1878.

The Catalogue of the Holland Collection of American Medals will soon be ready for distribution, and the sale will take place at the Auction House of Messrs. Bangs & Co., 656 Broadway, New York, on the 11th of November and the five following days; commencing each day at half past two o'clock in the afternoon.

The Catalogue comprises also the extensive Cabinet of Store Cards collected by Mr. Seth H. Chadbourne, as well as a Collection of American Coins and a number of Numismatic Books, Catalogues, &c., and in addition, an interesting line of Autographs and Paper Currency.

The Holland Collection of Medals is believed to be the most complete in the Country, with perhaps a single exception, and the Chadbourne Collection of Store Cards contains upwards of two thousand varieties.

On account of the great size of the Catalogue (242 pages) and the heavy expense attending its issue, but a limited number has been printed. In order that all COLLECTORS may be supplied, it will be impossible to furnish copies to others. For this reason, all COLLECTORS who desire copies, except those personally known to me, are requested to communicate with me at once.

Orders for the sale may be addressed to the Auctioneers or to any of the gentlemen through whom purchases are usually made. The sale being largely for account of owners, I will with pleasure attend to any orders with which I may be favored; and will communicate any information desired concerning particular pieces or the collection entire.

The Coins will be on exhibition each day at half past ten o'clock, A. M.

Hoping that the Catalogue will prove sufficiently attractive to induce you to attend the sale, or that I shall receive an order from you,

I am very respectfully, &c.,

W. ELLIOT WOODWARD.

U.S. POSTAGE

Woodward, William Elliot

Roxbury, Mass. Oct 24/7[illegible]

J. H. & [illegible] Chapman

I send you this day by express 32 Catalogues by express of the [illegible] Collection which you will please distribute where they will do the most good.

I inclose you also a list of about 350 [illegible] to whom I have mailed catalogues [illegible]

My object in sending this list is to [illegible] duplication. I have printed an ample number of Catalogues, so that if possible every collector in the country can receive a copy, & I have also [illegible] repetitions [illegible] each one of the [illegible] and if you will please avoid mailing to those who have been supplied [illegible] Secure [illegible] distribution, & [illegible] the [illegible] that [illegible] collect[illegible] [illegible] two to six or eight copies of every [illegible] the [illegible]

[illegible] have improved your text with mine will you be me the favor to return mine by mail

I have reserved 25 [illegible] emergency and a few for the sale, The few which I return are of course [illegible] the [illegible] of others that are not otherwise supplied as long as they last

None of the catalogues have been issued till today, with the exception of five sent to California and England and four copies sent to gentlemen in transmission to Europe

Yours Very Truly.
W Elliot Woodward

[illegible]

P.S. I have taken the liberty to insert in your parcel a number of copies circulars & collectors in Phila, and the address many correspondents by postal card & call, & send for the catalogues, will you [illegible] me the favor [illegible]

PHILAD'A PA
REC'D

OCT
25
5 PM

Messrs B. H. & H. C. [illegible]
2043 Tower St.
Philadelphia
Pa

Woodward, William Elliot

[I send addressed to Mr. Harzfeld a package of catalogues of a collection for sale Nov. 8th by Messrs. Leavitt, and in the package I have placed a bundle for you.]

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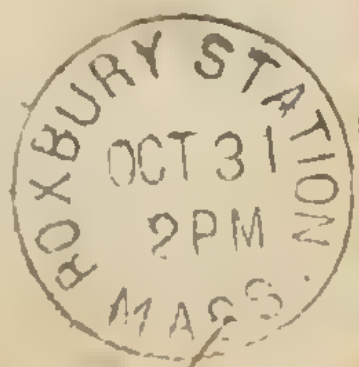
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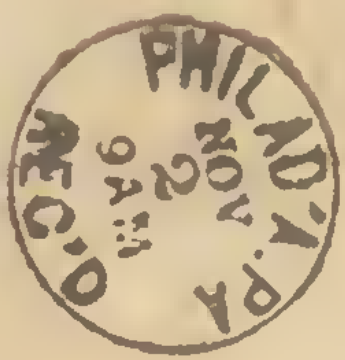
Woodward, William Elliot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ROXBURY STATION
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MASS.

Woodward, William Elliot

postcard only.

Reading Mass. Nov 4/75

Thanks for your attention,
and favor Received today. I find there
my correspondent Mr. De Cou re-
Wrote me July 29 from 106 Mass. St.
any Catalogue not delivered please
consider yourself at liberty & use as
you please for yourself & friends,

Yours Truly,

W Elliot Woodward,

POSTAL CARD.

WRITE THE ADDRESS ON THIS SIDE—THE MESSAGE ON THE OTHER

Messrs S W H Chapman,
2043 Tower St.
Phila, Pa

Hapdward, William Elliot

postcard only.

No 4443. I obtained of Mr
J. A. Bolen of Springfield
together with 4 peices of Indian
Pottery. The pottery was from
a mound near Cairo - but
where the flint knife came
he did not inform me probably
a mile or two distant I think would be the

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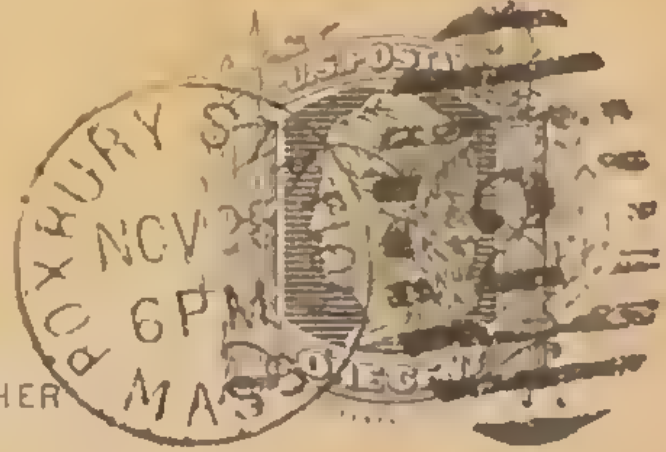

Mr. W. H. Chapman,
2043 Tower St.
Philadelphia,
Pa.

Woodward, William Elliot

postcard only.

[Announcement that the catalogue
of the Joel Munsell collection
was now ready. The sale took
place on January 22 and 23, 1879.]

Roxbury, Mass., January 31, 1879.

Priced Catalogues of the sale January 22 and 23, of Books, Coins, Medals and Mound Builders' pottery, from the Library and Collection of Joel Munsell Esq., of Albany, are now ready; price $1.50.

W. ELLIOT WOODWARD,

258 Dudley Street.

POSTAL CARD.

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WRITE THE ADDRESS ON THIS SIDE—THE MESSAGE ON THE OTHER

Messrs S H & H Chapman,
2043 Tower St,
Phila Pa,

Woodward, William Elliot

[No name on back of envelope.]

[An invitation to Woodwards 21st sale of Coins and Medals, including the collection of William H. Bowdoin, which took place on March 31, 1879.]

258 Dudley Street, Roxbury, Mass.

March 8, 1879.

Dear Sir;

I shall have the pleasure of sending you in a few days the Catalogue of my twenty-first sale of Coins and Medals. I bespeak for the catalogue, a careful examination, as it contains in addition to coins and medals, a great variety of other things adapted to the tastes of Archæologists, Book lovers, collectors of Autographs, Stamps, Paper Money, &c.

The Numismatic portion embraces a selection from the cabinet of the late William H. Bowdoin of Springfield, together with a great many additions made by the present owner, some of which will be found especially worthy of notice.

The relics of the Mound builders and of the men of the Stone age will be found particularly interesting.

The collector of Paper Money will find a fine variety, particularly in the line of United States Fractional Currency, the collection of which here presented being the most complete ever offered at public sale.

In the department of Priced Coin Catalogues, the collection will be found not only very large, but very select in quality and neat in style of pricing.

Trusting that you will find it convenient and agreeable to attend the sale, or in case you are unable to be present that you will favor me with an order for it,

I am yours very truly,

W. ELLIOT WOODWARD.

Woodward, William Elliot

Reading Mass,
Mar 19/79

Messrs S H & A Chapman /

Gentlemen,

I sent you yesterday by express a package of Catalogues of the Bandon Col which I trust you will distribute to our mutual advantage.

Hoping to see you at the sale I remain

Yours Truly,
W Elliot Woodward
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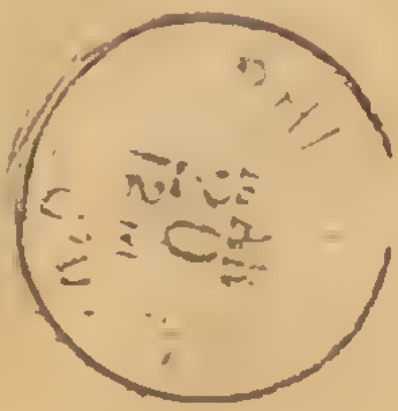


Messrs Sr & H Chapman,

2043 Tower St,

Hilda

Ca,

Woodward, William Elliot

postcard only.

Gentlemen, Roxbury Sept 6/79

In reply to your favor, the Pratt sale takes place Sept 29. 30, Oct 1. the collection is rich in fine and rare coins, the Robinson sale takes place in Boston Oct 15 & 16 this collection also contains an excellent assortment though it is much less extensive than the other. W. E. W.

POSTAL CARD.

WRITE THE ADDRESS ON THIS SIDE—THE MESSAGE ON THE OTHER

Mrs. A. Chapam,

2043 Tower St.

Phila, Pa.

[My catalogue of the Pratt collection is now printed and in the binder's hands. I send you a copy by today's mail, and if you would like some for distribution to customers, please let me know at once...]

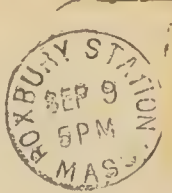
Roxbury Mass,
Sept 1/77

Messrs W H Hickman

Gentlemen

My Catalogue
of the Pott collection is now printed
and in the binders hands, & send
you a copy by todays mail and
if you would like some for dis-
tribution to customers, please let
me know at once and I will send
you some here as soon as bound.

Yours Very Truly,
W Elliot Woodward
per.



Miss Sarah Chapman,
2143 Tenth St.,
Detroit
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Woodward, William Elliot

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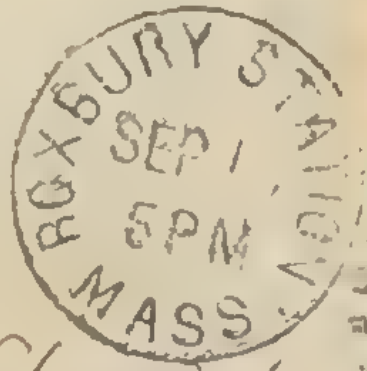

Messrs E. G. & H. Chaffin
2043 Town St.
Philada
Pa

postcard only.

POSTAL CARD.

WRITE THE ADDRESS ON THIS SIDE—THE MESSAGE ON THE OTHER

Woodward, William Elliot

[I will send the coin as you request, but as I have some 150 letters to answer, and any quantity of packages to open, shall not be able to forward the piece for a day or two...]

Roxbury Mass
May 12/80

Messrs S W A Chapman

Gentlemen,

Your favor just received, Will send the Coin as your request, but as I have some 150 letters & answer, and any quantity of packages to open, I shall not be able to forward the piece for a day or two but it shall go forward directly

Yours Very Truly

W Elliot Woodward

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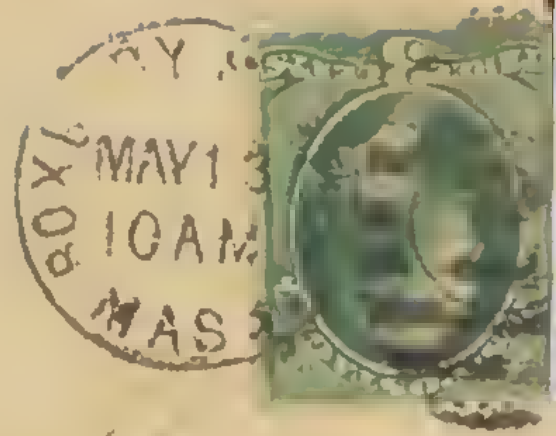

Messrs Lippincott
Tower St.
Philadelphia
Pa

Woodward, William Elliot

postcard only.

Roxbury Jan

Gentlemen - your card of 2 of May

2nd and - Coins recd all safe -

I wish you would send No 156 for I

am very desirous of having it - I

think it will turn up - hoping to

see you at any date

Yours Truly -

W. Elliot Woodward -

POSTAL CARD.

WRITE THE ADDRESS ON THIS SIDE—THE MESSAGE ON THE OTHER

Mrs. E. H. & T. Chapman
2043 Tower St.
Philadelphia
Penna.

Woodward, William Elliot

postcard only.

POSTAL CARD.

WRITE THE ADDRESS ON THIS SIDE—THE MESSAGE ON THE OTHER

Woodward, William Elliot

Roxbury, Mass.
July 14, 1880

Messrs S H & H Chapman

Gentlemen

When in N.Y. you will believe, we remember we had some conversation about the plates in the Bispham Catalogue, at any rate you said you took orders for such ones and named the price per hundred which struck me as being very low, I thought them superior to the Heliotype printed in Boston and if I can make a satisfactory arrangement think I shall order a few hundred to illustrate a catalogue that I am about to print, please favor me with particulars.

Have you yet discovered the Continental Currency piece purchased for me at your late sale I am very [illegible]

trust it has been found, I mail you with this letter a priced catalgue of the Curtis sale will you oblige me in exchange with a priced copy of your last catalogue

Yours Very Truly
A Elliott Hoe
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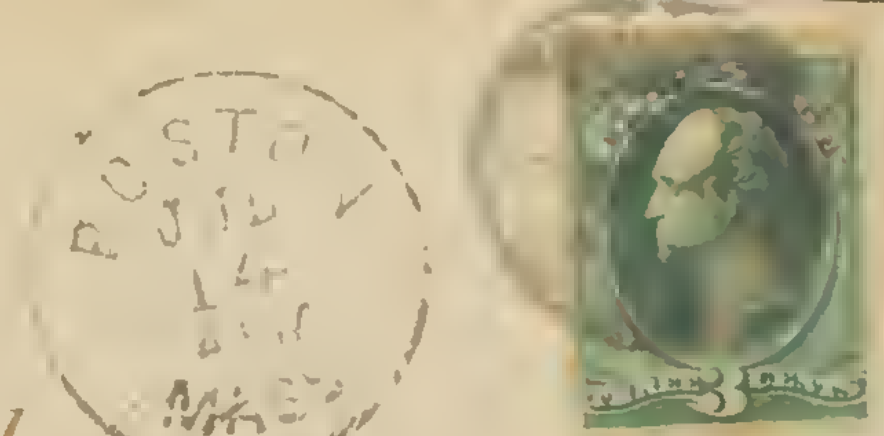

Mrs. S. M. Wharton,
2043 Tower St,
Philadelphia
Pa.

Woodward, William Elliot

postcard only.

POSTAL CARD.

WRITE THE ADDRESS ON THIS SIDE—THE MESSAGE ON THE OTHER

Woodward, William E II 01

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postmark which was over due – You will know how the postage as well as what word would have had these but for the unfortunate circumstance of the postage – so may I send you the proof [illegible] I have

[illegible]

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PHILAD'A. PA. REC'D.
AUG 28

ROXBURY STATION
AUG 27
6 PM
MASS

Messrs. T. & W. A. Chapman
No 43 S. Front St.
Philadelphia
Pennsylvania

Woodward, William Elliot

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Woodward, William Elliot

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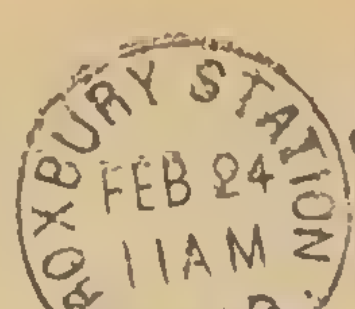

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2048 Tower St

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Woodward, William Elliot

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though it is [illegible]

and would say that I am just now

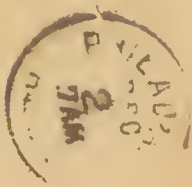
as usual short of money

The Catalogue of the finest collection of Greek & Roman coins will be out in an exceedingly short time. Let me know at once how many you would like for distribution to your customers - and I will send at once on receipt of your letter.

Yours Truly

W. Elliot Woodward

12 27 1880



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Mess[illegible] –

S. H. [illegible]man.
204 S. Fourth St.
Philadelphia
Penna –

Woodward, William Elliot

postcard only.

~~Dear Sir,~~ Jan 20, 87

Gentlemen, I will send the Mercer Catalogue as soon as I can get it ready. A little delay must occur as I am obliged to have the work done outside. Yours Very Truly,

Roxbury Mass

W. Elliot Woodward,

Jr

POSTAL CARD.

WRITE THE ADDRESS ON THIS SIDE—THE MESSAGE ON THE OTHER

Miss Sara A Chapman
2043 Tower St,
Philadelphia
Pa.

postcard only.

Postcard, Will Ann Elliot

Gentlemen,

Bodby Mass.
Feb 21/87

I understand you are to have a coin sale in March, but have not yet received a catalogue, if the omission was accidental will you please send me one if otherwise it is all right.

Yours Very Truly
W. Elliot Woodward,
U.S.A.

POSTAL CARD.

WRITE THE ADDRESS ON THIS SIDE—THE MESSAGE ON THE OTHER

Messrs S. M. & A. Chapman
2043 Tower St.
Philadelphia
Pa

[No date on bid sheet,
but used date of postmark.]

Cash for Nos	44	1.40
"	76	.95
	219	.25
	223	.20
	244	.89
Sodium		.55
Bermuda		.90
Victory Mix		1.00
		5.64
Less d/c		1.57
		4.07

Nos 211. 230-244 returned.

Woodward
cash 4.079
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Woodward, William Elliot

April 17 1931

postcard only.

Roxbury Apr 18 1881

Gentlemen

I have so many now that I do not wish to purchase any more catalogues. It does not pay to handle them. The only reason I do is benevolence to give a poor person work in pricing them

Respy. W. E. Woodward.

POSTAL CARD.

WRITE THE ADDRESS ON THIS SIDE—THE MESSAGE ON THE OTHER

Mrs. E. N. V. N. Chapman.
2043 Tower St.
Philadelphia
Penn

Woodward, William Elliot

postcard only.

Roxbury Feby 9-1881

Gentlemen - I have my card for
the Catalogue receipt for July 17/79
Will give 30 cts for one pencil and
10 cts each for the other pieces -
I do not know who got 4491 - Tenth Sale -
The money collected - yours sent to may

Yours Truly

W. Elliot Woodward -

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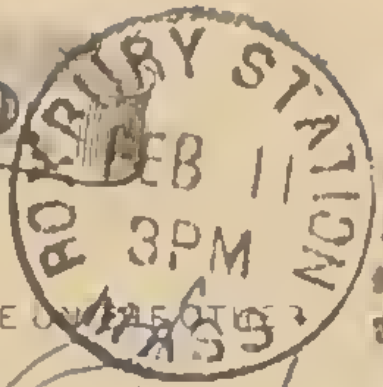

WRITE THE ADDRESS ON THIS SIDE - THE MESSAGE ON THE OTHER

Mrs. Sol. M. Chapman
2043 Tower St
Philadelphia
Penna

Woodward, William Elliot

July 28, 188

Letter only.

[Originally found in the
February 28, 1881 envelope.]

Roxbury. Feb 28 1881

Messrs. A. H. Chubman

Gentlemen.

Please find enclosed a few orders for your next sale - I send the orders not to reduce bidding [illegible] but just to start the things of which I am going [illegible] a few -

No 3	.75	No 219	.25
" 4	.50	" 221	.75
" 73	.75	" 222	1.75
" 76	1.00	" 223	.20
" 78	.80	" 224	1.0[illegible]
" 162	[illegible]	" 225	[illegible]
" 208	.60	" 226	1.35
" 209	1.00	" 227	.75
" 210	1.00	" 228	1.05
" 211	2.10	" 229	1.50
" 213	.60	" 230	2.50
" 214	2.00	" 231	[illegible]
" 215	1.10	" 232	[illegible]
" 216	1.35	" 233	[illegible]
" 217	1.75	" 234	[illegible]
" 218	1.25	" 235	1.[illegible]

No 236		.75
237		.75
238		.75
239		1.00
240		1.25
249	m	1/–
210	"	4
214	m	.40
410		.00
411	m	.40
449		.75
471		1.00

Would like the marked numbers well enough [illegible] specimens from some collector in that line with very much higher.

Yours truly

W. Elliot Woodward